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A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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LOT 10, block 1, North addition, cor. Union and Edmund sts.; size, 76x176 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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LOTS 16 and 17, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st., just west of the Mound; size, 55x123 feet, each. Will be sold together at $450, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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FOR SALE—One and a half story house, 4 rooms, and out-buildings. Situated on corner of Decatur and Monroe streets; lot containing one-half acre. Price, $1500. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE.

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FOR SALE—A house and lot in Rolling Mill addition. Brick house, 4 rooms, pantry, cellar, yard set out with fruit trees and small fruit. For terms apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

A house and two lots for sale in Stephen's Addition, for $800 cash. Apply to WARRAN & DURFEE.

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LOTS 4 and 5, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size 80x152 feet; one story frame house, 3 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Carver's addition, comprising 80x153 feet; situated on North Macon st., east of Clayton st.; a new frame house of 4 rooms; lots fenced. Can be had for $500, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 4, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair: lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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Farm Property.

A FARM of 103 acres for sale, situated 3 miles west of the city; 60 acres in cultivation; nearly all fenced with new rail fence; a story and a half house, 16x32 feet; good well, &c. Price, $35 per acre. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE. 1124.

200 ACRE FARM FOR SALE, about 4 miles southwest of Dalton Station, on the Mattoon & Decatur Railroad, all under cultivation; about 300 fruit trees in bearing; 2 miles of hedge, 4 years old; a one story frame house; good barn, wells, &c. $40 per acre. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

178 ACRES OF FARM LAND for sale about 1½ miles south-west of Macon, two houses, with necessary outbuildings on said farm. All under cultivation will sell at a bargain. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

800 ACRES in Piatt Co.; mostly prairie. Price, $26.50 per acre. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

April 26, 1872—d-tf.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Open at 7½ A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M.
Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Northern Mail arrives at 5:00 P. M.
" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Southern " arrives at 5:30 A. M.
" " closes at 4:30 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 2:35 P. M.
" " closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western " arrives at 11:40 P. M.
" " closes at 1:55 P. M.
Through eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
Daily through Chicago mail closes at 4:00 P. M.
I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.
2:16 A. M. ..... 5:40 P. M.
GOING NORTH.
5:17 A. M. ..... 2:21 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.
3:32 A. M. .....
11:30 A. M. ..... 2:30 P. M.
GOING SOUTH.
9:30 A. M. ..... 3:33 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL Gen. Sup't } Chicago
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E. M. MISNER, agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 15 a. m.
"	Decatur	2 40 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur ..... 6:15 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 25 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 14—Leaves Decatur ..... 8:00 p. m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave	Decatur, Mail, West	2 50 p. m
"	" Accom "	6 00 a. m
Leave	Pekin, Mail, East	3 40 a. m
"	" Accom "	3 45 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
JOHN U. PARSONS, Gen'l Tick't Ag't, Toledo.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

Paris and Decatur R. R.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 1873, trains will leave Decatur for Paris and Mattoon as follows;

Express	10:00 a m
Accommodation	3:00 p m
Express—arrives at Paris	2:05 p m
Accom'n—arrives at Mattoon	6 40 "
Express—leaves Paris	6:00 p m
Arrives at Decatur	10 45 "
Accom'n—leaves Mattoon	7:15 a m
Arrives at Decatur	11:10 "

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Decatur, January 1, 1873-dtf.

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Painter, Grainer, Glazier, &c.
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
Shop in room formerly occupied by Wm. E. Bingham, No. 28 Merchant Street.
Decatur, Feb. 22, 1871-tf.

A WAR REMINISCENCE.

A gossipy correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, writing from Atlanta, gives the following:

The fiery and untamed Toombs has been here for several days swearing at his enemies and being jolly with his friends by turns. He is of a lively and sociable disposition, and, when surrounded by a dozen gay and festive companions, his tongue runs like a bell clapper. Sometimes he talks sense and sometimes nonsense. He can talk that as well as any other man in Georgia.

I heard a story about Toombs the other night which deserves a place in history. A gang of festive legislators were around a festive board exchanging ideas and cigar stumps. "Just at the close of the war," says one, "Toombs came down into our country to get away from the Yankees. They had destroyed his property, and were after him with sharp sticks. He stopped at my uncle's, and pretended to be a rich South Carolina planter, moving about for his health. He shaved close, cut his hair short, wore a broad-brimmed slouch hat. Nobody but my uncle knew who he was. My uncle kept a little country postoffice, and the neighbors used to come in and read the newspapers. One day one of them sat down by Old Bob and read the particulars of Toombs' flight to Cuba, for it was reported that he had gone there. Old Bob listened attentively. 'I knew Toombs was too sharp to stay here and let the Yankees catch him' said the innocent reader; 'he'll spend his days in Cuba. He is gone now, but, I tell you boys, he was one of the smartest men we ever had in this country.' 'Yes,' said Toombs, looking as innocent as a lamb, 'he was a pretty smart man I knew him well. He was peculiar sometimes, but as big a hearted fellow as ever raised a bale of cotton. I wonder what the Yankees would do with him if they should catch him?'

'They would hang him to the nearest tree,' said one of the boys. 'And I ain't sure but they ought to,' put in another. At this Toombs launched into an eloquent defense of Toombs, the best I ever heard, and said he would yet walk on Georgia soil and lay his bones under Georgia soil. The old fellow warmed up considerably, and my uncle seeing that the conversation was taking rather a personal turn, changed it. Toombs remained with us a month, and was known only to one man. He heard himself talked about more in that month probably, than ever before."

HUNG BY A GOLDEN CHAIN.

A somewhat remarkable circumstance occurred in West Nashville the other day. A gentleman, before retiring for the night, took the precaution to place his gold watch and chain under his pillow, that it might not be stolen without his being awakened. To his surprise he woke up the following morning to find that it had unaccountably been spirited away. He remembered having heard his servant making a fire, and came to the conclusion that no one else could have taken it. He called the servant in and made inquiries about it. The servant denied having seen it. This did not satisfy the owner, but the servant was nevertheless allowed to depart. His employer now instituted a thorough search. After looking everywhere about the room, he found the watch, forced half way into a rat hole. He pulled it out, and to his great consternation found a rat at the end of the golden chain, in which it had become entangled and been hanged by the neck until dead.

WHAT MR. FROUDE SAYS.—Mr. Froude in one of his recent lectures paid this compliment to the priesthood and people: "I do not question the enormous power for good which has been exerted in Ireland by the modern Catholic priests. Ireland is one of the poorest countries in Europe, yet there is less stealing, less cheating, less house breaking, less robbery of all kind, than in any country of the same size in the civilized world. In the district where I lived we slept with unlocked doors and open windows with as much security as if we had been—I will not say in London or New York, for I should have been extremely sorry to have tried the experiment in either place. [Laughter] I say we might as well been with the saints of Paradise, for any to which we were exposed. [Applause.] In the last hundred years impurity has been almost unknown in Ireland. This absense of crime, and this exceptional delicacy and modesty of character is due to their everlasting honor, to the influence of their Catholic clergy."

THE NOSE.—We have no fewer than 14 English proverbs relating to this important feature of the human face divine. They are 1 Follow your nose. 2 He cannot see beyond his nose. 3 An inch is a good deal on a man's nose. 4. He would bite off his own nose to spite his face. 5. He has a nose of noses. 6. As plain as the nose on your face. 7. To hold one's nose to the grindstone. 8. To lead one by the nose. 9 To put one's nose out of joint 10 To pay through the nose. 11. To have a good nose for a poor man's son. 12. To thrust one's nose into other people's business. 13 A nose tha can smell a rat. 14. Not every man's nose will not make a shoeing horn

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Decatur, Jan. 9, 1873—wtf.

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October 28 1872—dtf.
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PROFESSIONAL.

D. L. BUNN.
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE:—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 15, 1872-dwtf.

W. T. CUSSINS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office, over S. M. Strally's Grocery Store, Decatur. *Prompt attention to business.*

E R ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 15 south side New square. [m23-dly

C. C. McComas,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room 2 north west corner of East Main and Water streets Decatur, Ill. [illegible]

E. PARK. THOS LEE
PARK & LEE,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Office: Over Millikin's Bank.
EDWIN PARK, Notary Public.
[dec18,'72-tf.

B. I. Sterrett,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec30-dawtf

James M. Irwin,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW No. 18 Merchant st., Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 31, 1872—tf.

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
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A. C. Williams & Son,
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W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr.1-dtf

St. Nicholas Hotel,
NICLAUX & BRO, PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois *Busses to and from the cars* aug1-tf

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Confectionery, Fruits, Nuts,
Oysters in Every Style,
Or by the can—in short, anything in the provision line, give me a call.
South Main Street,
Four doors north of Imboden's Meat Market
B. F. STEPHENS.
January 5 1873-dtf.

The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MONSER, Publishers.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Friday Evening, Feb. 14.

[illegible] Morningside, spotted fever, is [illegible] extent at Sapling Grove, [illegible] fifteen persons have died in that town and vicinity in the past few days. The same fever [illegible] near Walshville, Montgomery county, Ill. The disease has [illegible] tent in Saline county, Ill., this winter. In and near the little village of New [illegible] fever, during three weeks, over thirty cases and twenty-two deaths.

PRESIDENT GRANT has recently vetoed three separate bills passed by Congress for reimbursing the owners of property destroyed in the South during the war of the rebellion. The President takes the ground that the property in question was destroyed by the Government as a military necessity in a time of war, and that the Government is not liable for losses thus incurred. We [illegible] the President [illegible] of his claims against [illegible] Once open the doors of the Treasury to these Southern claimants for the payment of war losses, and there is no telling where it would end. Gradually every rebel in the South who lost property by the war would attempt to establish his loyalty and put in a claim for redress, and the public Treasury would be literally despoiled for the benefit of those who only a few years ago were traitorous, rebels in act, and many of whom are still so at heart.—Congress should be very slow to allow Southern claims, and the President does well to "nip the evil in the bud."

THE Washington Capitol has this "Talking about luck, rather a lulling incident connected therewith occurred at the Illinois reception the other night. The ball-room floor at Willard's was newly waxed, and badly done at that, so the fair ladies and gallant beaux found their feet sticking to the floor. While the weaker were held fast, the stronger and more energetic produced a noise like unto shooting-crackers, as they moved about or attempted to dance. This got to be such a nuisance that the proprietor was called in, and active measures taken to remedy the trouble. Meal from the kitchen was procured, and sprinkled over the floor. Young ladies had to be lifted bodily out of their tracks, in some cases leaving their heels on the floor, while others were pried up with pokers uttering little shrieks as if it hurt. Several enterprising Illinois beaux went to Milburn's and purchased pieces of chalk, which they rubbed on the soles of the young ladies' shoes. It presented a beautiful picture to see an Illinois gentleman with his knees stuck [illegible] while he whitened the soles of his love, she balanced most gracefully on one foot and smiling audibly to the tickling process. One maiden lady went into hysterics, and from that into a hack. She has not been heard of since.

SOME SIGNS OF PROMISE.

A dispatch from Champaign, in this state, under the date of the 11th inst., says: "Mr. Newell, President of the Illinois Central Railway Company, was here to-day, conciliating the people toward his road." The immediate occasion of which, called Mr. Newell to Champaign was the action of one of his conductors, on the Saturday previous, in deliberately cutting off from his train and leaving on the track a car containing a party of ex-loyalists from [illegible] who had, on the up train, tendered the legal rate of fare, and been permitted to ride free upon refusal to pay the illegal rate demanded. But the remote cause of the ill-feeling of the people to the Illinois Central Railroad Company is the fact that that corporation daily, openly, and persistently violates law in demanding and forcing passengers to pay, a higher rate of fare than is prescribed by the statute of 1871. The dispatch adds: "Mr. Newell proposes to instruct his conductors hereafter to take three cents per mile when the company demurrage the trainmen."

If this resolution of the Illinois Central Railway Company possesses the elements of cowardice and meanness in an eminent degree. If a single passenger tenders the legal rate of fare it will be refused, and if he declines to pay the illegal fare he will be assaulted, beaten, and ejected from the car by the trainmen; but if a combination of fifty passengers tender the legal rate it will be received. It is a gratifying fact, however, that the arrogance and assumption which formerly characterized railways in their relations with the people have at last given place to timidity and irresolution.—*Inter-Ocean.*

BEAUTIFUL weather to-day.

TELEGRAPHIC.

8 O'Clock, P. M.

(Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.)

BEN BUTLER BEFORE THE CREDIT MOBILIER COMMITTEE.

[illegible] ADMITS GOT SIX AND THAT $50,000.

FUNERAL OF EX-GOV. GEARY.

The Present State of Affairs in Spring-field.

LATEST FROM THE NEW SPANISH REPUBLIC.

Republicanism Spreading in Europe.

FROM ILLINOIS.

SPRINGFIELD, February 13.—There are no new developments in the matter of the Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners. Stillwell, in spite of the protest of his neighbors and acquaintances, is lobbying for himself with great pertinacity. McCrea and Robinson are working mainly through the railroad and warehouse ring, of course. This ring is using over endeavor to secure the confirmation of its tools. The ring is a well-organized force embracing such Senators and Representatives as owe allegiance to the railroads, and including all Springfield, male and female. The women have enlisted under the banners of the Executive, and are lobbying as only the pretty dears can lobby, to secure their ends and, help the Governor out of an embarrassing scrape. Will you wonder, then, when I tell you that leading Senators have assured me, this morning, that these desperate means have so far proved successful as to have converted two or three Senators over to the side of the Governor in his very unpopular and clearly illegal nominations?

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, February 13.—The Senate Credit Mobilier Committee began its investigation. Senator Logan appeared and stated that he had nothing to add to or retract from his statement before the House Committee. Senator Harlan made an explanation with reference to Durant's contribution of funds to the Iowa election. The money was used for ordinary election purposes. He said that while Secretary of the Interior he did nothing to favor the Union Pacific, but the President appointed a commission to make the location, which Commission selected the fertile "ox-bow route," instead of one over barren hills. Mr. Patterson desired additional time for his statement, which was granted.

As the probabilities of a spring session decrease, the plans of the President's projected tour to the South assume a more definite shape. He expects to be absent for several weeks, and will spend some time in the chief Southern cities.

Mr. Boutwell is very reticent concerning his prospective retirement from the Cabinet. The President recently stated that Mr. Boutwell had never mentioned the subject to him.

General Sheridan is actively engaged in arranging for the distribution of troops from the South to be assigned to this military department.

General Butler appeared before the Wilson Credit Mobilier Investigating Committee and testified that he received $3,000 from the Directors of the Union Pacific Railroad Company as counsel in its litigation in New York, and also that he recommended the present Senator Carpenter as counsel in the proceedings before Judge Barnard.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The Senate Credit Mobilier investigating committee met this morning, and it was announced that Senators Conkling, and Patterson could not appear until to-morrow.

Senator Logan appeared and said he had nothing to add to his testimony already given before the House committee, with reference to the testimony of Ames.

Logan was then questioned as to his transactions with Ames, but he insisted that he should first be told what testimony there was against him.

Ames testified that he had heard of a letter written by Dix demanding $50,000 from the company, prepared by his son-in-law. He understood that the company paid the money to get rid of the claim or the threat. Witness was not a director at that time but received his information from the directors. He was the largest stockholder and of course must have known of the payment. The stock taken from Dix was not worth more than 20 per cent. There was no sale at the time. Gen. Butler was then sworn and stated he was engaged by Emery as counsel for the Union Pacific railroad in 1868 relative to arranging Ames' contract, and spent some time on the matter.

He charged $5,000 for services and $1,000 for expenses, which were paid. James Fisk sent him $5,000 by messenger to act as counsel for him against the company, but he sent it back to Fisk telling him he could not become his counsel unless he read, pleased him, which Ames declined to do. He (Butler) recommended Carpenter to Ames as an eminent lawyer, and it to become counsel for the company. He (Butler) never received any other money from the road, and should do just so again, how and where he pleased, all the world to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Committee on Privileges and Elections will submit their report relative to the election of Caldwell, to-morrow. It is believed the committee will say in effect that the evidence adduced is not sufficient to sustain the charges that the Senator procured his election by corrupt means, but that it had been proved that practices were resorted to, which the committee cannot approve.

WASHINGTON, February 13.—The last open session of the Committee on Privileges and Elections for the investigation of Louisiana affairs was held this morning.

Governor Warmoth made a statement in the nature of sworn testimony concerning the appointment and removal of various gentlemen who have figured as Secretaries of State in Louisiana during the past year. Warmoth also gave detailed account of the organization and action of the Returning Board. He also cited the law to sustain his acts, and said that the Kellogg Legislature abolished the Seventh and Eighth District Courts, to get rid of Judges who had just been elected by 12,000 majority, and then Pinchback approved the act.

Mr. McMillan said he had examined the Lynch Board of Returns, and found they were signed by only one United States Supervisor for the entire list of polls in the parish, and that the returns of the United States Supervisors are in many cases mere statements of votes cast for Republican candidates only, and that the affidavits from parishes where frauds were alleged, did not state that parties were prevented from voting on account of race, color, &c.

Mr. Ray submitted certain of the returns of the DeFerret board, wherein it was evident that the signatures of the Commissioners of Election were forgeries.

Mr. Morton then announced that the examination of witnesses was closed.

About twenty witnesses in the Pomeroy case will arrive from Kansas, Saturday, and the investigation commence immediately.

WASHINGTON, February 13.—The President and Secretary of State are anxiously watching the Spanish revolution. They have been fully advised in advance, and Minister Sickles has received instructions suitable to any complication. Mr. Fish has great hopes that the Republic has sufficient strength to maintain itself. In such an event, he looks for immediate progress in the reforms which have been made the subjects of diplomatic correspondence with this Government. The appointment of Castelar to the foreign portfolio, Mr Fish considers, will insure the speedy abolition of slavery in both Cuba and Porto Rico.

It is stated that the President remarked this morning that in his opinion the change in the Government of Spain, whether successful or not, must result in weakening the Spanish hold on Cuba. Mr. Sickles had instructions to recognize the Republic as a *de facto* Government, when it was proclaimed, which was done.

HARRISBURG, Pa. Feb. 15.—The funeral of ex-Governor Geary took place to-day. The body was taken to the First Presbyterian Church, in charge of a guard of honor accompanied by the pall-bearers and a joint committee of the Senate and House. After services at the church, the cortege formed and proceeded to the cemetery. The Knight Templars had charge of the body at the grave. Many private residences along the route were draped in mourning. The procession was an hour in passing a given point.

FOREIGN NEWS.

LONDON, February 13.—A special from Paris says that it is reported in that city this morning that the troops of the regular army in Spain are divided in their choice of a form of Government. The cavalry, it is said, has pronounced in favor of a monarchy, with Prince Asturias, the son of ex-Queen Isabella, for King, while the infantry favors a republic.

A special from Rome says that the abdication of Amadeus is received with satisfaction on all sides. Neither Victor Emmanuel nor the Italian Government gave any advice to Amadeus. The latter telegraphed to Rome frequently, giving information concerning the situation.

A dispatch from Madrid says that the abdication and declarations of the republic have been disseminated throughout all Spain, and nowhere occasioned disturbance. Marshal Zerrano arrived at Madrid last night.

LISBON, February 13.—The Portuguese Minister of Public Works, prominent railway officials and the Spanish Minister, in accordance with orders from his Government, have gone to Badajoz to meet Amadeus' family and escort them to Lisbon. A palace has been prepared for them which they will occupy until their departure for Italy. The ex-royal family is expected to arrive here to-morrow. They will be met at the railway station by King Luis and his Ministers.

LISBON, February 13.—The Portuguese Government has been warned that agents are at work with a view to start republican movements in this country.

ROME, February 13.—The Pope yesterday gave audience to several officers of the United States Navy who are now at Rome. In the course of conversation, His Holiness asked how he would be received in America. The officers replied that the people of that country would regard his taking up his residence among them as a great honor.

Ministerial crisis is impending here.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13.—At a meeting of the members of both Legislatures to-day, the Republicans agreed to accept the proposition of the fusionists, to organize the General Assembly composed of members returned by both boards, provided such course is acceptable to the national administration. A committee was appointed to telegraph to Washington for information.

CHICAGO MARKETS

CHICAGO, ILL., Feb. 13—4 p. m.

Wheat was unsettled, but active, and No. 2 spring sold at $1,21½@1,22 cash or seller February; 1,21½@1,23⅞ seller March, and $1,24¼@1,26½ seller April—closing at $1,21⅜ cash.

Flour was quiet and unchanged.

Corn was dull and quiet, with sales in No. 2 at 30⅞@31 cash, 31½@31⅝c seller March.

Oats were quiet and unchanged, closing at 20⅞ cash, and 27½c seller March.

Rye was quiet and easier at 65½c. for No. 2.

Barley was dull and weak, and No. 2 sold at 68@70c cash.

Highwines sold at 87½c.

Dressed hogs were active, and sold at $4,95@5,00 for heavy and light weights.

Provisions were quiet.

Mess pork sold at $13,60 cash and $13,10 seller April.

Live hogs were active and steady at an advance of 10c., with sales at $4,30@4,75, chiefly at 4,30@4,65.

Beef cattle were steady but quiet with sales at $3,10@4,25 for Texan steers to good shipping beeves.

Frank MacEvoy's New Hibernicon gives two exhibitions at the Opera House, Saturday and Monday, Feb. 15th and 17th. The following is from an exchange:

"The New Hibernicon was witnessed last night by a large and appreciative audience and that the performance was enjoyed was attested by the applause which greeted every scene. The views of the principal cities, rivers, castles and cathedrals of the Emerald Isle, are very fine, and as explained by Frank McEvoy, extremely interesting. The acting of Mr. Lawlor is perfect. As a delineator of the Irish character in Barney the Guide, we have never seen his superior, and his dances, songs and jokes are inimitable.—Miss Kate Cooper as Nora, must by her beauty and her fine soprano voice, win the approbation of the most critical, while Miss Mary McCrea, as the widow, and Miss Kate Byrnes, as Mrs. O Callighan, are each deserving of the highest praise. Mr. Neal Conway, the celebrated Irish jig and reel dancer, is nightly encored."

New Advertisements.

MILWAUKEE

MARKET ASSOCIATION

Grand Presentation Concert!

Dollars. **40,000** Dollars.

IN CASH PRESENTS.

50,000 Tickets, at $2 Each.

THE MANAGEMENT of the Grand Concert beg leave to announce that unavoidable circumstances have made it necessary to postpone the same; however, they are pleased to state that the success of the enterprise has been BRILLIANT and DECIDED, and that the same is now upon a FIRM and SOLID financial basis. It will take place on

Tuesday, March 25th,

IN THE

Academy of Music, Milwaukee,

Commencing at 10 a. m.

All agents are peremptorily required to close their sales and to send in their reports on the 10th of March, 1873. As but FEW TICKETS remain UNSOLD, parties wishing for them will please order immediately.

1 Grand Cash Present, $20,000
1 " " " 5,000

1471 Presents, am't'g to 810,000 Cash.

The drawing will be conducted on the stage of the Academy of Music, in full view of the audience, under the personal supervision of the following well known and disinterested gentlemen, who have kindly consented to act as

DRAWING COMMITTEE,

and who will make it their duty to carefully guard the interest of every ticket-holder near and far: James B Kellogg, Esq, of Kellogg & Hathaway, Insurance Agents; H M Mendel, Esq, President Milwaukee Musical Society; Hon Moritz Schoeffler, Proprietor "Banner and Volksfreund;" Matthew Keenan, Secretary Milwaukee Board of Water Commissioners; Jos H Cordes, Esq, Wholesale Grocer; Ad Meinecke, Esq, Proprietor Meinecke's Willow-ware Works.

Officers & Directors of the Association.

OFFICERS—L A Schmidtner, President; F V Deuster, Vice President; F W Jacobi, Secretary; W H Jacobs, Treasurer.

DIRECTORS—G C Trumpff, President South Side Bank; August Greulich, Wholesale Liquor Dealer; L A Schmidtner, Milwaukee Court House Architect; P Riethbrock, Attorney-at-law, F W Jacobi, General Insurance Agent, Ludwig Vogel, Carpenter and Builder; Otto Zwietusch, Proprietor Soda Water Factory; A F Wallschlager, Hardware Merchant; Jacob Blum, contractor Milwaukee Court-house, Ed Aschermann, Wholesale Pomeranian; P V Deustel, Proprietor Milwaukee Sun Bitters; F P Kissinger, Wholesale Liquor Merchant; F W Handtmann, ex-Milwaukee City Treasurer, J C Mann, Attorney-at-law, Lewis Rindskopf, Alderman, Milwaukee; Hermann Zochlaut, Proprietor Tannery, S T Hooker, Commission Merchant, Sam Rindskopf, Wholesale Liquor Merchant.

Circulars containing full particulars sent on application free of charge.

Money should be sent in registered letter, Post-office order, or by express.

PAUL BECHTNER, Gen. Manager,

100 East Water Street, Milwaukee, to whom all communications should be addressed.

TICKETS FOR SALE BY

MONROE SUTTON,

At the CITY BOOK STORE 17 East Main Street, Decatur. [illegible]

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE!

Saturday and Monday,

February 15th and 17th.

FRANK MACEVOY'S

New Hibernicon!

Or, IRELAND IN AMERICA.

FIRST APPEARANCE of MacEvoy's Popular Company of

Irish Comedians and Vocalists

The favorite Irish Comedian,

MR. W. F. LAWLOR

In his Great Character,

BARNEY THE GUIDE

Miss Kate Cooper ..... Nora
Miss Mary McCrea ..... The Widow
Miss Kate Byrnes ..... Mrs. O'Callighan
Prof. Mosiella ..... Musical Director
Frank MacEvoy ..... Lecturer

To conclude with the Screaming Farce,

The Haunted Guide!

MR. NEAL CONWAY,

In his CELEBRATED

Irish Jig and Reel Dances!

ADMISSION, 50c.; Gallery, 35c. Children under ten, 25c.

February 12—d-6t.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Charles J. Holt and Olive R. Holt, of the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, did make, execute and deliver to James C Lake, as Trustee, a certain Deed of Trust, conveying to said Trustee the premises hereinafter described, to secure the payment of two certain promissory notes bearing even date with said Deed of Trust, executed by the said Charles J. Holt and payable as follows, to-wit: One note for the sum of two thousand five hundred and ninety-six dollars and seventy-five cents ($2,596,75), payable to the order of Daniel W. Bloneman; the other note for the sum of one thousand seven hundred and sixty-two and 50-100 dollars, ($1,762,50), payable to the order of Francis M. Shaffer, both payable one year after date with interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum after maturity. On the first of said notes there are the following credits: June 6, 1871, $1,000,20; July 6, 1871, $6,00; on the other there are the following credits: June 6, 1871, $1,293,80; July 6, 1871, $1,00. Said Deed of Trust was filed for record and duly recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county, on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1871, in book N, on page 261;

And whereas, it is provided in said Deed of Trust that if default be made in the payment of said notes, or any part thereof, or the interest accruing thereon, according to the tenor and effect thereof, it shall be lawful for the said James C Lake, on application of the legal holders of said promissory notes, to sell the said premises hereinafter described, or any part thereof, and all the right and equity of redemption of the said grantors, their heirs, executors, administrators or assigns therein, at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the north door of the Court house in Decatur, in Macon county, after having advertised such sale ten days in a newspaper published in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois.

It is further provided in said Trust Deed that the grantee therein shall execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers the deed of deeds for the conveyance in fee of the premises sold, and shall apply the proceeds of the sale—1st To the payment of all advances made for taxes and assessments and expenses for advertising, selling and conveying as aforesaid including attorney's fees; and 2d, the amount due on said notes, 3d, rendering the overplus, if any there be, to the grantors.

And whereas, the said promissory notes are past due and remain unpaid, except as before stated, and the legal holders of said promissory notes having made application to me, as said Trustee, to sell said premises under and by virtue of said Deed of Trust;

Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given to all persons, that by virtue of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Deed of Trust, and for the uses and purposes therein set forth, I will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, on

Saturday, the 1st day of March, A. D. 1873,

At the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north door of the Court house, on South Water street, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, the following described premises, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit:

Commencing at the northeast corner of the east half of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section No. sixteen (16), in township No. sixteen (16), north range No. two east of the third principal meridian, running thence south fourteen (14) chains and fifty-six (56) links; thence west ten (10) chains and three (3) links, thence north fourteen (14) chains and sixty-one (61) links, to the northwest corner of said premises laid above described; then e east ten (10) chains, to the place of beginning—containing 14 58-100 acres, and excepted as lot ten (1) in plat "G" in the partition of the estate of Hartwell Robinson, deceased. Said plat is recorded in book "M," page 150 of the Circuit Court records.

Upon making sale I will execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers therefor a deed or deeds conveying to him or them the said premises in fee simple.

JAMES C. LAKE, Trustee.

February 7, 1873—dw4ws.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, March term, A. D. 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a suit is now pending in the Circuit Court of said Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Samuel McRoberts is complainant, and Anson H. Varney, Ellen Varney, Lewis Maddux, Thomas Maddux, and William B. Maddux, styled Maddux Bros, Barlow Benrimo, Joseph Barton and Daniel B. Benrimo, styled Benrimo, Barton & Co James P. Wolf and Jacob S. Wolf, styled Wolf & Bro., Justes A. Young and David L. Milner, styled Young & Milner, George W Lackey, Julius Felbel, Isaac Mosbimer, John T. Montgomery, James A. Lewis, Daniel R. Brant and John W. Kelley are defendants; that summons has been issued in said cause, made returnable to the March term of said Court, to be holden at the Court-house at Decatur, in said county of Macon, on

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873,

Requiring said defendants to appear and make answer to the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against them, and said cause will be set for hearing *ex parte* as to all defendants not answering.

J. McCLELLAN, Clk.

NELSON & ROBY, Sols. for Compl't.

January 29, 18[illegible]—d4w.

To G. Stratton and others.

You are hereby notified that at sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described tract of land to-wit: [illegible] acres off west side of the north half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 22, township [illegible] north of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

M. P. MURPHY

January 8, 1873—w4t.

To John F. Hammond and others.

You are hereby notified that at sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described tract of land to-wit: [illegible] acres off east side of the north half of the southeast quarter of section 1 township 16 north range 3 east of the third principal meridian and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

M. P. MURPHY

Decatur, January 8, 1873—w4t.

New Bakery!

S. O. BOWER

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Decatur and vicinity that he has purchased the

Restaurant, Confectionery AND Bakery

On Water Street, formerly owned by C. H. Barrel.

He will make it his business to put this establishment in the most attractive shape and keep constantly the best of Confectionery, Fresh Bread, Pies and Cakes.

CAKES FOR WEDDING PARTIES

A SPECIALTY, and furnished on short notice.

OYSTERS in any style desired.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS

S. O. BOWER.

January 17, 1873—dtf.

THE BEST OF ALL!

BURDETT ORGAN!

PRONOUNCED BY ALL MUSICIANS TO BE PERFECTION itself.

THE BURDETT!

Parlor and Church Organ has been before the public for many years, while it has always enjoyed a

FIRST-CLASS REPUTATION!

The improvements recently made upon it have placed it in advance of all its competitors. Whether considered as a parlor instrument, or with reference to its qualities for church purposes, it is the same triumphant success.

Those who think of purchasing an instrument of this kind should not fail to look at the Burdett before they make a final choice.

CALL ON

GEO. F. HARGIS,

17 East Main St.,

Who is agent for the sale of the Burdett in Decatur and vicinity.

Jan. 21, 1873-dtf.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, March term, A. D. 1873.

In Chancery.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for said county of Macon, in the State aforesaid, wherein John Ricketts is complainant, and Stephen M Whitehouse, Mary Whitehouse, John M. Whitehouse, Rebecca M Whitehouse, William Whitehouse, John W. Tyler, William Spurgin and Charles Carle, by the firm name of Spurgin & Carle, and William F Stampel, surviving partner of Henry P Elliott, late partners under firm name of Stampel & Elliott, are defendants; that summons has been issued in said cause, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county, made returnable to the March term of said Court, to be holden at the Court-house in Decatur, in said county, on

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873,

At which time and place said defendants are required to appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against defendants not answering, and as to such defendants said cause will be set for hearing *ex parte*.

J. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & ROBY, Sols. for Compl't.

January 29, 1873—d4w.

Wanted--Money!

$3,000 Wanted,

FOR A TERM OF FOUR YEARS, for which I will give Mortgage on unencumbered Real Estate, in high state of cultivation. Loan this sum for $500 or more, if desired.

Address,

D. ALLEN, CHICAGO ILLINOIS.

February 6—d4w.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, [illegible] the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of Stephen Shipman, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend at the County Court of said county in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of March, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of exhibiting all the claims against said estate, when and where all persons interested in said estate may attend if they think proper, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those who have claims against said estate are requested to exhibit the same for adjustment. All this and such other business to be transacted as may come before said court.

[illegible] ADAMS, Administrators.

February 1, 1873—w4w.

To Noah Plummer and others.

You are hereby notified that at sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described tract of land to-wit: [illegible] acres off the south side of the north half of the southeast quarter of section 1 township 16 north range 3 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

M. P. MURPHY

Decatur, January 8, 1873—w4t.

A New Arrival!

AMERICAN AND FOREIGN

Gold and Silver

WATCHES,

"COLUMBUS JEWELRY."

Suitable for both Ladies and Gentlemen. Solid Gold and Plated Opera and Chatelain

CHAINS.

As well as a nice assortment of Gents' Gold Silver and Plated Chains.

A Complete Assortment of

JEWELRY!

Solid Silver and Plated Ware, sold in sets or single pieces. Also, a complete stock of

Seth Thomas Clocks!

With and without Calender.

ALSO,

Gold and Silver Headed

CANES

AGENT FOR THE

Accommodating Spectacle!

With French Acromatic Lense and genuine Brazilian Pebbles.

All goods WARRANTED as represented. Goods bought of me

Engraved Free of Charge!

Having had an experience of over fifteen years in the business, I feel confident that all goods bought of me and all watch repairing, etc., entrusted to me, will give perfect satisfaction.

J. L. KNIEPER,

No. 10 Water Street,

DECATUR, ILL.

May 21 1872—d-3m.

Sale Under Deed of Trust.

WHEREAS, John W. Hamilton, of Macon county, Illinois, "Bachelor," did make, execute and deliver to Samuel H. Anderson, as Trustee, a certain Deed of Trust, bearing date the 11th day of May, A. D. 1871, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, in book N, page 575, upon the premises hereinafter described, which said Deed of Trust was given to secure the payment of one certain promissory note therein mentioned, to the sum of Twenty-one Hundred (2100) Dollars, bearing even date with said Deed of Trust, payable to the order of Samuel Anderson in one year after date thereof, with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum.

And whereas, it is provided in said Deed of Trust that if default be made in the payment of any part of said note, it shall be lawful for the said Samuel H. Anderson, or in case of the death, resignation, removal or other inability of the said Samuel H. Anderson to act, then for John K. Warren as the successor in trust, to sell the said premises hereinafter described at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, after giving notice of such sale for thirty days in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois; and upon such sale said vendor in such sale shall receive the purchase money and execute the necessary deed or deeds of conveyance, and apply the proceeds as directed by said Deed of Trust.

And whereas, the said Samuel H. Anderson has removed from the said county.

And whereas, the said promissory note is past due and is unpaid, and the legal holder of said promissory note has made application to me as said Trustee to sell said premises under the provisions of said Deed of Trust.

Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given to all persons, that by virtue of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Deed of Trust, and for the uses and purposes therein set forth, I will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, on

Thursday, the 20th day of February, A. D. 1873,

At the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north door of the Court house on South Water street, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, the following described premises, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: [illegible]

[illegible]

Decatur, January 6, 1873—w4w.

To John Ricketts and others.

You are hereby notified that at sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described tract of land to-wit: [illegible] acres off the south side of the north half of the southeast quarter of section 1 township 16 north range 3 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

M. P. MURPHY

January 6, 1873—w4t.

Dissolution

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Webb & Baird, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st inst. The firm remains with us to pay all claims against the firm and collect all claims belonging to the firm.

WEBB & BAIRD.

Decatur, Ill., January 3, 1873.

All parties indebted to the firm of Webb & Baird will please call and settle with the undersigned, and thereby save costs.

WEBB & BAIRD.

January 3, 1873—d1w.

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Bakery

Barrel.

at attractive shape, Cakes.

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Silver

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adies and Gentlemen

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NIEPER,

Water Street,

DECATUR, ILL.

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Deed of Trust.

n W. Hamilton, of Ma-

Illinois, "Bachelor," did

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of Twenty-one Hundred

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is provided in said Deed

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Trust, such successor in

purposes therein

public auction to the

highest bidder,

the 20th day of Feb-

D. 1873,

between the hours of

o'clock in the forenoon

at the door of the Court

House, in the city of

Macon, the following described

property, situated in the County of Macon

and State of Illinois, to wit:

The northeast quarter of section twenty-six (26), in township twenty-

(17) north, range one (1) west of the third principal meridian, and all the

right, title and equity of redemption

said Samuel H. Hamilton, in said premises,

to pay the amount due on said note, and expenses of sale,

including a reasonable attorney fee for foreclosure of said mortgage, and

the surplus, if any, to him or his assigns in law or equity.

Dated this 1st day of January, A. D. 1873.

JOHN K. WARREN, Trustee.

[jan1-w4]

[illegible] notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873, for the taxes for the year 1872, I purchased the following described tract of land, to wit: Lots 2 and 3, in block [illegible] in Decatur, and that the time for redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

M. P. MURPHY.

[illegible]

DRY GOODS.

HAYS & BRUCE

Are To-day receiving a large lot of

BLEACHED and BROWN MUSLINS,

TICKS, DENIMS, &C.

Also, three cases new style Prints.

All at our usual Low Prices.

Great Bargains offered in Jeans, Flannels, Waterproofs, &c., &c.

A few sets Mink Furs left, that we will sell at Half Price.

February 10, 1873—d-tf.

THE HOLIDAYS ARE OVER!

—BUT—

A. RUTH

Has still on hand a very large stock of

SEASONABLE GOODS,

Comprising all kinds of Standard and Miscellaneous Books, Poetry, History, Biography and Fiction.

A FULL LINE OF

Blank Books, Stationery, Pens, Ink, Envelopes, Etc.

Also, a complete stock of Fancy Goods, Albums, Chromos, Engravings, Picture Frames, etc., etc.

PRICES AS LOW AS THE LOWEST.

A. RUTH,

NO. 7 EAST MAIN STREET.

January 2—daw-tf

BOOTS AND SHOES!

MADE TO ORDER,

And Repairing Promptly Done,

—BY—

R. H. CARTER

AT V. BARBER & CO'S,

No. 10 East Main-st.

November 23, d-3m.

New Hardware Store.

SAGE & SON

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the citizens of Decatur and vicinity, that they have opened at the

Cor. Prairie and Merchant Sts.,

(next door to Chenoweth's Drug Store,)

A FULL LINE OF

Tinware, Stoves, House Furnishing Goods, Etc., Etc.

Among the leading Stoves on sale, are the

ARLINGTON

COOK STOVE, and the

DUBUQUE

SOFT COAL BASE BURNER.

These stoves are among the best offered in the market. We ask the public to call and examine our goods. Our prices are as low as the lowest.

☞ We have several as good workmen in tin, copper and sheet-iron, as can be found anywhere, consequently

JOB WORK

of all kinds will be done and satisfaction guaranteed.

Dec3d4wly.

Dissolution Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of Webb & Baird, Macon, Ill., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books of the firm remain with L. F. Webb, who will pay all claims against the firm and collect all claims belonging to it.

L. F. WEBB,
W. H. BAIRD.

MACON, ILL., January 1, 1873.

All parties indebted to the late firm of Webb & Baird will please call and settle with the undersigned immediately, and thereby save costs.

L. F. WEBB.

January 3, 1873—d1w.

F. W. NIEDERMEYER,

—DEALER IN—

Groceries, Provisions!

Queensware, and Feed.

STORE:—Corner North Monroe and West Eldorado streets, west of the Mound, Decatur, Ill. [nov22-daw,1y.

BRONZE LAMPS,

—ALL—

GLASS LAMPS!

The Perkins & House, The American Safety,

—AND—

DR. PARKER'S

Non-Explodable Lamps

Lanterns, Brackets, Chandeliers.

AS USUAL,

A FULL STOCK OF

QUEENSWARE! CHINA AND FANCY GOODS,

—AT—

J. H. LEWIS & CO'S

Decatur, January 1, 1873—d1t.

TEXAS LANDS! FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE three hundred acres of splendid unimproved land, situated near the city of Waco, Texas. Lands under cultivation in the same vicinity produce forty bushels of wheat per acre. The climate is the finest in the world, and is unsurpassed for health. For information apply to the undersigned, or at the REPUBLICAN office.

E. N. MILLS,
Decatur, Ill.

January 6, 1873-d3m]

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Friday Evening, Feb. 14.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Valentine's day.

...Several cases under the new liquor law have been brought in this city.

...An unusual number of farmers are in the city to-day.

...Hon. John R. Eden is in the city to-day.

...Mr. C. A. Foster, of this city, is advertised to assist in a concert at Lovington on the evening of the 26th inst., for the benefit of the M. E. Sabbath School of that place.

...Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Miller, Mrs. Norman Failing and son, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Harris, Jr., and a number of others from Macon, attended Miss Von Elsner's concert last night.

Prof. Bigelow, of "Dublin University," in this city, was cured a few days since.

...The piano used at the concert last evening was from the establishment of Fish & Foster.

...John Thompson failed to be "on hand" the other night as advertised, but Moore Bros. always have "on hand" a good assortment of fresh fish, to fill the orders of their customers. And just at this season of the year, when everybody is tired of sausage and fresh pork generally, fish are peculiarly palatable. If you are fond of this kind of diet call on Moore Bros., who will supply your wants in that direction at reasonable prices.

...Hon. E. J. C. Alexander, an editor of many years experience, who has sunk from a life of honest poverty to a seat in the Illinois Legislature, did us the honor to call this afternoon. "Aleck" is a good fellow, and wears his honors with becoming dignity. He was on his way home to Hillsboro, where, in his few brief intervals of rest from public labors, he is wont to dilate upon the beauties of democracy through the columns of his paper, the Hillsboro *Democrat.*

...One of the most absurd practices civilized humanity has fallen into is that of sending a little line of sickly rhyme, surrounded with a liberal supply of bleeding hearts and cupid's darts, to the object of his or her affections; or, on the other hand spiteful people will make it an occasion for sending hideous caricatures to those they desire to annoy or mortify. It is evident that the practice is at the present day almost exclusively confined to those half grown, gushing boys and girls who seem to live in an atmosphere surcharged with doves and loves, bowers and flowers, &c. A full grown man who would indulge in such a senseless practice, should be shot on the spot, or sent to Congress, or appointed on a committee of investigation, or to sink a coal shaft—something that would be a lasting benefit to humanity or Decatur.

Boy Wanted, at Miller's Restaurant.

Bound Over.—At nine o'clock this morning, the hour appointed for the preliminary examination of C. H. Holden, Justice Albert's room was crowded to the door, all around the entrance, and the cry came up, "And still they come." The crowd was such that business could not be transacted with any facility, and how to get rid of the crowd was the question. The lawyers then said something about adjourning to the County Court-room, and out rushed the crowd and made tracks for the Court-room. All found seats, everything seemed to be in order, and all that was necessary to make their happiness complete was a justice, lawyers and a prisoner. They sat and looked wise, made observations about the weather, and shivered in the cold room. In the meantime the trial was being held in Justice Albert's office.—Messrs. Bunn and Lee appeared for the city, and Messrs. Post and Buckingham for the defendant.

The lawyers asked for a continuance of the case until Monday, at 9 a. m., which was granted, the prisoner being bound over to appear at that time, in a bond of $2,000.

Holden failing to give bond for his appearance Monday, was being taken to jail when he was again arrested on a charge of vagrancy and carrying concealed weapons, and bound over under a bond of $500 to appear next Monday at 9 A. M.

The funeral of Julia, daughter of Edward and Dorothea Harpstrite, took place this afternoon, from the residence of the parents, on Webster street. The deceased was 9 years of age, and was a very bright and interesting child. The fourth ward school, of which Julia was a member, attended the funeral. We regret to learn that another daughter of Mr. Harpstrite is very ill.

Sinful Siftings.—Yesterday Wm. Parker was fined $5 and costs by Justice Baker for a plain drunk.

George Duer and John Duer were fined $3 and costs each by Justice Albert, for assault.

John McEvoy paid $50 and costs for selling liquor on Sunday—case before Justice Baker.

Arrested for Larceny.—Last evening, at Macon, Benjamin Phillips, Richard Putty, Columbus Putty and John Scott, four young bloods of about twenty years of age, were arrested by officers Timmons and Harris, on a charge of stealing a lot of wines, etc., from the premises of Capt. Wm. Ashmead, of that place.—The prisoners were taken before Esq. Sowell, when Scott concluded to turn state's evidence. The other three were held to bail, in default of which they were brought here and committed to jail, to await the action of the grand jury. After the trial Columbus Putty and Benjamin Phillips attempted to escape, and succeeded so far as to get out of sight, but they were overhauled by the persevering efforts of Uncle Bobby Timmons, who brought them back in triumph. Some younger officers that we know of might learn a lesson of vigilance and activity from this successful effort of the veteran Marshal of Macon.

Another Enterprise.—Some parties from Madison, Ind., arrived here this morning for the purpose of investigating the advantages of Decatur as a point for the manufacture of starch. Some of our enterprising citizens are showing our visitors around to day, and posting them with reference to the business in hand. It is to be hoped that these gentlemen will have pointed out to them all our advantages as a manufacturing town, and that they will be able to see it to their interest to locate here.

The Concert Last Night.—The people of Decatur are determined to redeem their reputations as patrons of first class entertainments. The attendance upon Edwin Adams was all that could be desired, and last evening Miss Von Elsner was greeted by a large and appreciative audience. Most of the best musicians of the city and vicinity were present and if applause and *encores* are any evidence of appreciation, Miss Von Elsner may compliment herself upon having an audience who were delighted with the singing.—Since she sang here about a year ago her time has been devoted to the cultivation of her voice, and a very great improvement in her manner and execution of difficult music is perceptible. There is a symmetry, a smoothness and a command of voice that she did not possess to such an extent one year ago. She has a voice of wonderful capabilities; it has a power, a richness and a compass not frequently found. Miss VonElsner received a hearty *encore* at each appearance, which was kindly responded to by the lady.

Mr. Foster and Miss Mattie Greene, of this city did themselves great credit by their kind assistance, making the concert a complete success. Miss Greene is a superior pianist, and her playing was received with hearty applause. Miss Jessie Von Elsner possesses a very sweet, clear voice, and we judge will make her mark in the musical world.

Coming.—Mr. D. Hitchcock, one of the officers of the Paris & Decatur Railroad, has rented the fine residence of Alderman Bramble, to which he will remove in a few weeks. Hon. W. T. Sylvester, another officer of the company will also come here to reside as soon as he can procure a suitable house.

Religious.—The meetings at the First M. E. Church are increasing in interest, that of last evening being largely attended and distinguished by an unusual degree of religious feeling. The meetings are held every evening, and the pastor and members of the church extend a cordial invitation to the public to attend and participate.

Thoughts about Books—VI.—Bacon says that "some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested; that is, some books are to be read only in parts; others to be read, but not curiously; and some few to be read wholly, and with diligence and attention. Some books also may be read by deputy, and extracts of them made by others." Mr. Beecher thinks that a home without books is like a room without windows. No man has a right to bring up children without surrounding them with books, if he has the means to buy them. Children learn to read by being in the presence of books. The only bodies are they, for noble spirits, that have no ailments or annoyances. Books talk to you, not through the ear, They shout their silent meaning at the soul through the eye. They are always full without eating. They are still, but never sleep. They grow old without infirmity.

Other men are known to posterity only through the medium of history, which is continually growing faint and obscure; but the intercourse between the author and his fellow men is ever new, active and immediate. He has lived for them more than for himself; he has sacrificed surrounding enjoyments and shut himself up from the delights of social life, that he might the more intimately commune with distant minds and distant ages. Well may the world cherish the true author's renown; for it has been purchased, not by violence and blood, but by diligent dispensation of pleasure. Well may posterity be grateful to his memory! for he has left an inheritance, not of empty names and sounding actions, but whole treasures of wisdom, bright gems of truth, and golden veins of language.

For Sale.—A good barber shop, with four chairs and all the requirements of a first class shop, will be sold for cash at a very low rate. For particulars enquire of Geo. Zeiss, at Linn & Scruggs' dry goods store. [feb7-d1w.

THE newspapers down East have discovered a family in Oldtown, Me., in which there are fourteen children, all boys, the oldest of whom are but 7 years of age. There are four sets of twins and two sets of triplets.

Bangup Sale!—We have actually got in our store to day *over* $60,000 worth of boots and shoes. Now we hereby declare that we will UNDERSELL *all the time* any bankrupt or transient or traveling concern, that comes into our little city and takes all the money they get out with them, pay no taxes and *sell* the people.—WHATEVER their prices may be we will *sell better goods at lower figures,* and sell only fresh, desirable and first class goods. We shall "fight it out on this line if it takes all summer" and another $60,000 worth of goods.

POWERS, FERRISS & CO.

Bankrupt Sale.—Prices reduced at the bankrupt shoe store, No. 18 Merchant street. Men's double decker calf boots, $5.50; men's French calf boots, $4; men's pegged calf boots, $2.75; men's kip boots, $2; women's calf shoes, $1.50; women's slippers, 35 cts.; women's rubbers, 50 cts. Everything else in proportion. All fresh, prime goods. Don't forget the place—No. 18 Merchant street. [feb13-d2t

Mr. Geo. Zeiss has opened a new class for instruction in the German language, and will meet all those who wish to join it this evening at 7 o'clock, in the room of the Ladies' Library Association.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, Feb. 12, 1873.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1.30@1.40
" White " "	1.30@1.50
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	5.50
" red " "	4.00
" superfine, "	5.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel	40
RYE—₩ bushel	40
CORN—₩ bushel	22
" shelled, per bush	25
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton	8.00@10.00
OATS—₩ bushel	18@22
FLAXSEED—₩ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—₩ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED— "	6.00@7.00
BEANS—₩ bushel	2.75
BUTTER—₩ lb	25
EGGS—per doz	27½
LARD—₩ lb	08½
BACON—Sides	10
HAMS—sugar-cured	16
SHOULDERS—per lb	07
HOGS—Live, per hundred	3.25
CATTLE— " "	3.50@6.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	60
" " " " sheared	3.50@4.00
POTATOES—per bu	60
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	07
APPLES— " " "	3@5
" Green ₩ bus	45@60
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@34
" " coarse & long	38@42
" " combing	40@44
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	50@60
" " combing	52@55
" Tubwashed	58@60
" " and picked	60@65
HIDES—Green, ₩ lb	6½@7
" Salted cured	9@9½
" Calf	10@11
" Dry salt	12½
" Dry Flint	16
SHEEP PELTS—Green	50@75
[Cut, grubby, scored or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ lb	50@60
" Common, ₩ lb	35@40

CITY ELECTION.

MAYOR.

WE are authorized to announce MARTIN FORSTMYER as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce E. McNABB as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing municipal election.

ALDERMAN.

WE are authorized to announce E. B. EICHOLTZ as a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE STARE as a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

WE are authorized to announce L. D. ALLYN as a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN P. JONES as a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce L. F. MUZZY as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward.

WE are authorized to announce ANDREW SHOEMAKER as a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce ALFRED WUENSCH as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM GABLER as a candidate for Alderman in the Fourth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM H. BRAMBLE as a candidate for Alderman in the Third Ward.

WE are authorized to announce T. J. ABLE as a candidate for Alderman of the Third Ward, at the coming city election.

TREASURER.

WE are authorized to announce DR. W. H MITCHELL as a candidate for City Treasurer at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce M. K. HATCH as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Treasurer, at the March election.

WE are authorized to announce FRED. J. SMITH as a candidate for City Treasurer, at the ensuing municipal election.

MARSHAL.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN W. HAWORTH as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal, at the March election.

WE are authorized to announce FRED. A. ADDERLEY as a candidate for City Marshal at the ensuing municipal election.

SUPERVISOR.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY HUMMELL as a candidate for Supervisor, at the April election.

WE are authorized to announce JACOB SPANGLER as a candidate for re-election to the office of Supervisor, in the coming April election.

KEELER

THE HATTER, HAS REMOVED

HIS STOCK OF

HATS, CAPS,

—AND—

FURNISHING GOODS

—TO—

NO. 13 East Main Street!

(Room formerly occupied by Ludden & Co.,)

I HAVE A FEW SETS LADIES' FURS, in Mink, Fitch, Alaska, etc., which I will close out at VERY LOW PRICES.

S. T. KEELER.

Decatur, January 22, 1873—d1f.

DRY GOODS.

GREAT REDUCTION!

In all Descriptions of

Winter Goods!

—AT—

LINN & SCRUGGS'

SPECIALTIES:

Million's Black Silk Velvets,
Bonnet's, Ponson's and Guinet's Black Silks,
The "Peerless" Black Alpaca,
The Genuine Alexandre Kid Gloves,
and the Old Dominion Buck Gloves.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

January 2, 1873-dawtf.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY

—AT THE—

City Book Store!

17 East Main Street, Decatur,

A full and complete stock of Blank Books, Writing Papers, Envelopes, Ink, Ink Stands, Pens, Holders, Pencils, and every other article in the Stationery line.

Our stock of Miscellaneous Books, such as new works of Fiction, Standard Poets, History, Juvenile Books, &c., is unusually full and complete.

Now, that the Holidays are over, our entire attention will be devoted to our stock of Staple Goods which will always be kept full, to meet the demands of the trade.

Our CIRCULATING Library

furnishes a supply of cheap reading, and is constantly receiving additions of new books. Open every day during business hours.

LITSINBERGER & SUTTON.

January 16, 1873—daw-tf.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, March term, A. D. 1873.

In Chancery.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a suit has been commenced and is now pending in the Circuit Court of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein George Stewart is complainant, and Edward Young, Augustus Harpstrite, and unknown heirs-at-law of Harpstrite, and unknown heirs-at-law of Susan Young, deceased, are defendants; that summons has been issued in said cause, made returnable to the March term of said Court, to be holden in the Court-house at Decatur, in said county, on

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873,

At which time and place said defendants are required to appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against said defendants not answering, and as to them said cause will be heard *ex parte.*

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & ROBY, Sols. for Compl'ts.

January 20, 1873—d1w.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, March term, A. D. 1873.

In Chancery.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a suit has been commenced and is now pending in the Circuit Court of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Nathaniel C. Hudson and William Hudson, in firm name of Hudson Bros. are complainants, and Josiah Cornelius, Frances Cornelius, George W. Cornelius, and Samuel G. Malone, are defendants; that summons has issued in said cause returnable to the March term of said county, directed to the Sheriff of said county, made returnable to the March term of said Court, to be holden at the Court-house in Decatur, in said county, on

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873,

At which time and place said defendants are required to appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against said defendants not answering, and as to them said cause will be heard *ex parte.*

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & ROBY, Sols. for Compl'ts.

January 20, 1873—d1w.

Reliable Insurance

—O—

To H. P. CHRISTIE, Agent, Decatur:

GIRARD all right.
WM. E. ROLLO, Gen'l Ag't.

AMAZON—Loss light in Boston; will settle at once.
D. B. WEST, Sec'y.

AGRICULTURAL—No loss in Boston, as you are aware we insure nothing but detached dwelling property.
ISAAC MUNSON, Sec'y.

CONTINENTAL—Loss only $500,000 in Boston; will be promptly met dollar for dollar.
R. J. TAYLOR, Sup't.

The losses of the ORIENT do not impair stability or efficiency of the company.
S. & B. W. FRENCH, Gen'l Agts.

NATIONAL, of Bangor, Maine, all right; go ahead.
ROBT GREER, Western Manager.

FARMERS, MERCHANTS AND MANUFACTURERS, of Hamilton, O. No losses.
F. B. LANDIS, Sec'y.

CONNECTICUT, of Hartford, amply able to meet Boston losses.
M. BENNETT, Jr., Sec'y.

"OLD GERMAN," of Freeport, no losses strictly a home company.
F. GUND, Sec'y.

KANSAS, of Leavenworth, undisturbed by Boston fire.

☞ Policies written and losses promptly adjusted, by

H. P. CHRISTIE,

Insurance, Real Estate Agent, and Notary Public, Decatur. nov 11

A New Book Free. Containing answers to Important questions. Address, with stamp to pay postag, Mets, H. Metzger, Hanover, Pa.

Pianos! Pianos!

PIANOS!

Organs! Organs!

ORGANS!

Musical Merchandise!

Musical Merchandise!

WE make the WORLD-RENOWNED

ESTY ORGANS

A SPECIALTY,

Which, for durability, power and sweetness of tone, CANNOT be equaled. These Organs have been sold not by extensive advertisements and puffing, but by the real merits of the instruments themselves. Wherever they have been introduced they have won their way into the admiration and confidence of the people; and this is not mere chance, but comes as the inevitable consequence of skill, high attainment and unremitting application and labor.

From the first the manufacturers have employed the finest mechanicians and inventors of the age. The leading improvements now in vogue in "Reed Organs," were perfected and brought out in the establishment of J. Esty & Co. Their instruments now stand

UNRIVALED

By anything found in this country or Europe.

We would invite the attention of purchasers to these superb instruments, whose superiority over all others is acknowledged by the best musical talent the country affords.

Payments for Instruments taken in monthly or quarterly installments.

OLD INSTRUMENTS taken in exchange for new.

Special inducements offered to cash purchasers.

CALL AT

—THE—

"Steinway Agency!"

And examine goods, prices, &c.

FISH & FOSTER!

January 23, 1873—d1f.

To Isadore Moir or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described tract of land, to wit: 1½ acres off the east side of northwest quarter, northwest quarter, section 9, township 17, north, range 1 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

JOHN N. MILLS.

January 30—w3d.

To Catharine Kalenson or whom it may concern:

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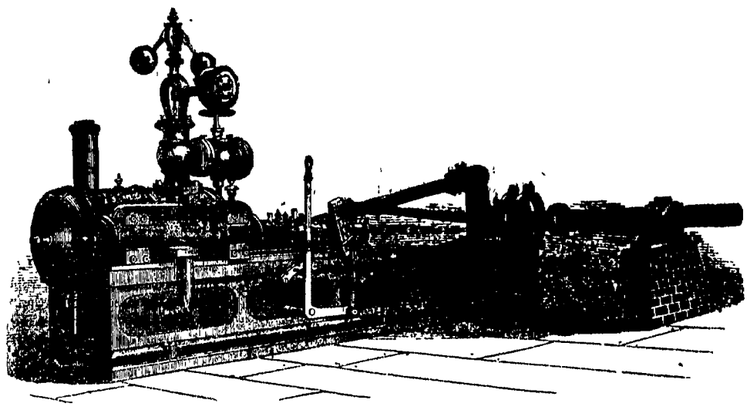

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